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In re Application of:

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action dated March 16, 2001, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

22. (Once Amended) A kit for producing an official postal product having personal image comprising;

a first sheet having a plurality official postal products each of said products having a first official image area having an official postal indicia and a second area for receiving a personal image;

a second sheet having a plurality of labels each having a personal image, each of said labels being adapted to be placed in said second area of said official postal product, each of said labels having a protective coating thereon such that an official postal cancellation mark will not be permanently adhered to said personal image.